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The Search Report is enclosed along with any cited foreign patent documents and non-patent literature documents in accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2).

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	2	JP 10 271562	10/09/1998	Taito Corporation		Abstract Included
	3	JP 11 019337	01/26/1999	Media Marketing System		Abstract Included
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